

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application for:

**Frank Kilian**

Serial No. 10/750,280

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For: **SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR  
MANAGING COMMUNICATION  
BETWEEN SERVER NODES  
CONTAINED WITHIN A CLUSTERED  
ENVIRONMENT**

Examiner: Taha, Shaq

Art Unit: 2146

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**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE UNDER 37 CFR 1.312(a)**

Box Issue Fee  
Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In connection with the above-identified patent application, the Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendments to the claims, before payment of the issue fee, under 37 CFR 1.312(a).

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